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SUBJECT: Applicant: Blackham, G.H. *et al.*
Serial No: 09/881,478
Filed: June 14, 2001
For: APPARATUS USING FRAMESTORE DEMULTIPLEXING
Examiner: Dharia, Prabodh M.
Group: 2629
Docket No: GJ-223J

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a Statement of the Substance of the Interview in reply to the Interview Summary mailed January 10, 2007.

If for any reason this Statement of the Substance of the Interview is found to be INCOMPLETE, or if at any time it appears that a TELEPHONE CONFERENCE with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts at (781) 890-5678.

In addition, pursuant to Rule 1.136(a)(3), the Office is hereby authorized to treat any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Also, any request or Petition for an Extension of Time notwithstanding an inadvertent reference in the Petition to a shorter period of time is to be treated as requesting the appropriate length of time.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the foregoing by returning the enclosed self-addressed postcard.

Sincerely,

Thomas E. Thompkins, Jr.
Reg. No. 47,136



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STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

In reply to the Interview Summary mailed January 10, 2007 and the requirement to file a Statement of the Substance of the Interview, the undersigned submits this Statement.

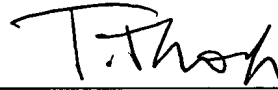
On December 15, 2007 the undersigned received a telephone call from the Examiner, and the undersigned also spoke with the Examiner on December 19, 2006, and the substance of the conversations concerned the Examiner's suggestion to add some combination of elements of dependent claims 13 and 14 to independent claim 11, which the Examiner indicated in essence would place the application in better condition for allowance. Thereafter on December 20, 2006 the undersigned faxed proposed claim amendments to the Examiner for

consideration. A Notice of Allowance was mailed on January 10, 2007.

The undersigned thanks the Examiner for his time and attention to the subject patent application.

If for any reason this Statement is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts at (781) 890-5678.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. Thompson", written over a horizontal line.

Thomas E. Thompson, Jr.
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